

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	David Schwartz et al.	Examiner:	Fozia Hamud
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Title	VARIANT TLR4 NUCLEIC ACID AND USES THEREOF		

PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the final Office Action mailed November 5, 2005, said period of response being extended from February 5, 2006 to May 5, 2006.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of \$510.00 to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Respectfully Submitted

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